

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: T. ENDO et al. Confirmation No. : 5993
Serial No.: 09/940,982
Filed: August 29, 2001
For: TAMPER RESISTANCE DEVICE
Group: 2437
Examiner: Z. Davis

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 17, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 18, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination on the merits.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.